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of the present policy of Government that no increase in assessment will be made as a result of resettlement, and the Government of the future will be allowed to tackle this vital question; and

(b) if so, what they are and when orders are likely to be passed in the matter?

A.—There are no such proposals.

Progress of the resettlement operations in the northern taluks of the Salem district.

* 647 Q.—Mr. K. A. NACHIYAPPA GOUNDER: Will the Hon. the Member for Revenue be pleased to state—

(a) at what stage the resettlement operations in the northern taluks of the Salem district now are; and

(b) when the scheme report is likely to be published?

A.—The attention of the Hon. Member is invited to the answer given to clause (a) of question No. 76 at the meeting of the Legislative Council on the 6th August 1935. The Government have no further information.

Progress of the resettlement operations in the hill villages in Salem district.

* 648 Q.—Mr. K. A. NACHIYAPPA GOUNDER: Will the Hon. the Member for Revenue be pleased to state—

(a) at what stage the resettlement operations in the hill villages in Salem district now is; and

(b) when the scheme report therefor is likely to be published?

A.—The scheme report for the resettlement of the hill villages in the Salem district has been published as a special supplement to the *Salem District Gazette* for December 1935. Copies of the scheme report have been sent to the members of the Legislative Council.

Local Self-Government

Municipalities which passed vote of censure on their Commissioners.

* 649 Q.—Mr. K. A. NACHIYAPPA GOUNDER: Will the Hon. the Minister for Local Self-Government be pleased to state—

(a) whether any of the municipalities have passed vote of censure on their Commissioners;

(b) if so, what those municipalities are;

(c) when such resolutions were passed and what orders have been passed by the Government in the case of each; and

(d) whether the copies of the resolution and the orders passed thereon will be placed on the table?